

Respectfully,

BETTY MURRAY, Chief Clerk  
House of Representatives

### MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS

**S.C.R. 16** - By Aikin: Memorial resolution for James Loyd Wilson.

**S.R. 122** - By Snelson: Memorial resolution for David R. White.

**S.R. 123** - By Snelson: Memorial resolution for Harold B. Eudaly.

### WELCOME AND CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS

**S.R. 120** - By Doggett: Extending welcome to Reverend Walter Matthews.

**S.R. 121** - By Lombardino: Extending congratulations to Miss Lydia Enriqueta Rodriguez.

**S.R. 128** - By Clower: Extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. William D. Anthony.

### ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Senator Aikin the Senate at 6:17 o'clock p.m. adjourned until 9:00 o'clock a.m. tomorrow.

### APPENDIX

Sent to Governor

(August 3, 1978)

**S.C.R. 2**

**S.C.R. 3**

**S.C.R. 5**

**S.C.R. 10**

**S.C.R. 12**

### SIXTEENTH DAY

(Friday, August 4, 1978)

The Senate met at 9:00 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present: Aikin, Andujar, Blake, Brooks, Clower, Creighton, Doggett, Farabee, Hance, Harris, Jones of Harris, Jones of Taylor, Kothmann, Longoria, Mauzy, McKnight, Meier, Mengden, Parker, Patman, Price, Santiesteban, Schwartz, Snelson, Traeger, Truan, Williams.

Absent-excused: Braecklein, Lombardino, Moore, Ogg.

A quorum was announced present.

Senator Kent Hance offered the invocation as follows:

Dear Heavenly Father,  
We thank You for the many blessings You have bestowed on us; also the opportunities to live in this country; go with and guide and direct the members of the Texas Senate and the Capitol Press Corps. We ask this in Christ's name and for His sake. Amen...

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

#### LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Senator Braecklein was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Mengden.

Senator Lombardino was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Mengden.

Senator Ogg was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator McKnight.

Senator Moore was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator McKnight.

#### MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

House Chamber  
August 4, 1978

Honorable William P. Hobby  
President of the Senate

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

The House has adopted the Conference Committee Report on House Bill No. 1 by a vote of 128 Ayes, 2 Noes, 2 Present-Not Voting.

**S.B. 18**, Relating to the arrangement on the ballot of certain proposed constitutional amendments; amending Section 63, Texas Election Code, as amended (Article 6.07, Vernon's Texas Election Code), by adding Subdivision 1a. (With amendment)

**H.B. 57**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to creation and allocation of a special fund for reimbursement of school districts for loss of revenue resulting from certain constitutional provisions.

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### HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following bills received from the House, were read the first time and referred to the Committee indicated:

**H.B. 36**, To Committee on Administration.

**H.B. 57**, To Committee on Finance.

### SENATE RULE 103 SUSPENDED

On motion of Senator Jones of Harris and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 103 was suspended in order that the Committee on Administration might consider **H.B. 36** today.

### CO-AUTHOR OF SENATE BILL 12

On motion of Senator Moore and by unanimous consent, Senator Hance will be shown as Co-author of **S.B. 12**.

### BILLS SIGNED

The President announced the signing in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following enrolled bills:

**S.B. 8**

**S.B. 13**

**S.B. 17** (Signed subject to provisions  
of Sec. 49a, Article III of  
the Constitution of Texas)

### RECESS

On motion of Senator Aikin the Senate at 9:11 o'clock a.m. took recess until 11:30 o'clock a.m. today.

### AFTER RECESS

The Senate met at 11:30 o'clock a.m. and was called to order by the President.

### REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

By unanimous consent, Senator Jones of Harris submitted the following report for the Committee on Administration:

**H.B. 36**

### PROCLAMATION OF GOVERNOR

The President laid before the Senate the following Proclamation by the Governor:

**PROCLAMATION  
BY THE  
GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS**

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Under the provisions of Article IV, Section 8 of the Constitution of the State of Texas, I, Dolph Briscoe, Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby submit the following for consideration by the Second Called Session of the 65th Legislature, now convened, in addition to such items as have heretofore been submitted, to wit:

The consideration of legislation which permits the Board of Regents of West Texas State University to levy a fixed student fee not to exceed \$15 per student for each semester of the long session and not to exceed \$7.50 per student for each term of the summer session of such university;

To consider and act on such other subjects and questions as the Governor may submit from time to time.

The Secretary of State will take notice of this action and will notify the members of the Legislature.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have heretofore  
signed my name officially and caused the  
Seal of State to be affixed hereto at  
Austin, this 4th day of August, A.D., 1978.

/s/DOLPH BRISCOE  
GOVERNOR OF TEXAS

ATTEST:

/s/STEVEN C. OAKS  
SECRETARY OF STATE

The Proclamation was read and was filed with the Secretary of the Senate.

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

House Chamber  
August 4, 1978

Honorable William P. Hobby  
President of the Senate

Sir: I am directed by the House to inform the Senate that the House has passed the following:

The House refused to concur in Senate amendments to H.J.R. No. 1 and has requested the appointment of a Conference Committee to consider the differences between the two Houses.

House Conferees: Von Dohlen, Chairman; Peveto, Donaldson, Browder, Henderson.

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**VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE OF SENATE BILL 19 RECONSIDERED**

On motion of Senator Farabee and by unanimous consent, the vote by which **S.B. 19** was finally passed was reconsidered.

Question - Shall **S.B. 19** be finally passed?

The bill was again finally passed by the following vote: Yeas 25, Nays 2.

Yeas: Aikin, Andujar, Blake, Brooks, Creighton, Doggett, Farabee, Hance, Harris, Jones of Harris, Jones of Taylor, Kothmann, Longoria, Mauzy, McKnight, Meier, Mengden, Parker, Price, Santiesteban, Schwartz, Snelson, Traeger, Truan, Williams.

Nays: Clower, Patman.

Absent-excused: Braecklein, Lombardino, Moore, Ogg.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

Senator Jones of Harris was granted leave of absence for the remainder of today on account of important business on motion of Senator Brooks.

**BILL SIGNED**

The President announced the signing in the presence of the Senate after the caption had been read, the following enrolled bill:

**H. B. 1****HOUSE BILL 36 ON SECOND READING**

On motion of Senator Price and by unanimous consent, all necessary rules including Senate Rule 74 were suspended to take up for consideration at this time on its second reading and passage to third reading:

**H.B. 36**, A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the compensation and expenses of the court reporter of the 31st Judicial District; repealing Chapter 190, Acts of the 61st Legislature, Regular Session, 1969, as amended (Article 2326j-29, Vernon's Texas Civil Statutes).

The bill was read second time and was passed to third reading.

**HOUSE BILL 36 ON THIRD READING**

Senator Price moved that the Constitutional Rule and Senate Rule 68 requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that **H.B. 36** be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote: Yeas 26, Nays 0.

Absent-excused: Braecklein, Jones of Harris, Lombardino, Moore, Ogg.

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote: Yeas 26, Nays 0.

Absent-excused: Braecklein, Jones of Harris, Lombardino, Moore, Ogg.

### **SENATE RULE 103 SUSPENDED**

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, Senate Rule 103 was suspended in order that the Committee on Finance might consider **S.B. 21**.

### **CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ON HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1**

Senator Aikin called from the President's table for consideration at this time, the request of the House for a Conference Committee to adjust the differences between the two Houses on **H.J.R. 1** and moved that the request be granted.

The motion prevailed.

The President asked if there were any motions to instruct the Conference Committee on **H.J.R. 1** before appointment.

There were no motions offered.

Accordingly, the President announced the appointment of the following conferees on the part of the Senate on the bill: Senators Aikin, Creighton, Jones of Taylor, Meier and Santiesteban.

### **WELCOME AND CONGRATULATORY RESOLUTIONS**

**S.R. 129** - By Snelson: Extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Walker.

**S.R. 131** - By Schwartz: Extending congratulations to John Riddles.

### **ADJOURNMENT**

On motion of Senator Aikin the Senate at 11:47 o'clock a.m. adjourned until 10:30 o'clock a.m. Monday, August 7, 1978.

### **APPENDIX**

Sent to Governor

(August 4, 1978)

**S.C.R. 7**

**S.C.R. 13**

**S.C.R. 16**

**S.B. 8**

**S.B. 13**

Sent to Comptroller

(August 4, 1978)

**S.B. 17**

**SEVENTEENTH DAY**  
(Monday, August 7, 1978)

The Senate met at 10:30 o'clock a.m., pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present: Aikin, Andujar, Blake, Braecklein, Brooks, Clower, Creighton, Doggett, Farabee, Hance, Harris, Jones of Harris, Jones of Taylor, Kothmann, Lombardino, Longoria, Mauzy, McKnight, Meier, Mengden, Moore, Parker, Patman, Price, Santiesteban, Schwartz, Snelson, Traeger, Truan, Williams.

Absent-excused: Ogg.

A quorum was announced present.

The Reverend Dr. Samuel N. Baxter, Good Shepherd Episcopal Church, Austin, offered the invocation as follows:

Grant us, O Lord our God, before all things, by day and by night, amid all things imperfect, inconsistent, uncertain, in small things as well as great

To esteem, to seek after and to lay hold upon that which is eternal namely:

Truth, in all our conversations

Generosity, in deed and word and thought

Integrity and sincerity in all our dealings

Serenity in anxious and contrary event

Worth and thoroughness in the occupation both of work and of leisure,

Patience and Humility in our hearts.

Had by these all, to win the freedom and joyfulness of a child of God, about His Father's business.

Bless us as we gather here and grant in all our works and ways, that we may be guided by Thee.

All this we ask for Thy Name's sake. Amen.

On motion of Senator Aikin and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of Friday, August 4, 1978, was dispensed with and the Journal was approved.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

Senator Ogg was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Creighton.